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TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Jonathan E. Fielding, M.D., M.P.H.
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SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S USE OF
DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT A LETTER OF AWARD FROM THE
CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH (CDPH) FOR
TUBERCULOSIS PREVENTION AND CONTROL PROVIDING FUNDING FOR
THE STATE SUBVENTION BASE AWARD AND NOTIFICATION OF A STATE
FOOD, SHELTER, INCENTIVES AND ENABLERS (FSIE) ALLOTMENT**

This is to inform you that the Department of Public Health (DPH) is exercising its delegated authority approved by the Board on March 6, 2001 in which the Board delegated authority to the Director of Health Services, or his designee, (the designee of which is now the Director of the DPH) to accept Letter of Awards (LOAs) for subsequent fiscal years (after FY 2001) from CDHS to provide funding for the State Subvention Base Award in an amount up to \$1,873,902, and notification of the State FSIE allotment from which the DHS can seek reimbursement up to the amount of \$317,470 to support the County's Tuberculosis (TB) Control Program for each fiscal year.

Under such authority, DPH is accepting the LOA, dated September 7, 2007, from the CDPH which provides funding for the State Subvention Base Award in the amount of \$1,516,089 and notification of a FSIE allotment from which DPH can seek reimbursement up to the amount of \$317,470 to support the County's TB Control Program for the period July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2008.

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the above referenced LOA as to form.

Please let me know if you have any questions or require additional information.

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c: Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
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